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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Tois et al.

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For : METHOD OF GROWING OXIDE

THIN FILMS

Examiner : Matthew J. Song

Art Unit : 1792 Conf# : 1629

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The present paper is submitted in response to the Office Action that was mailed on January 24, 2008 and is accompanied by a request for a three-month extension of time. Applicants respectfully request consideration of the following remarks.

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